

CONVICT ROAD  
BILL IS VETOED

Gov. Ferguson Says Would  
Cost Counties Too Much  
to Work Prisoners.

Amnin, Tex., March 31.—Governor Ferguson today vetoed the house bill which provides for the working of short term male state convicts upon the public roads and highways of the state.

In disapproving this measure, the governor gives his reasons in the following notation, made on the back of the bill:

**Would Cost Too Much.**

"While I am sure this law was passed with a sincere belief that it would be good for the short term convicts and the different counties

might desire to employ such convicts on the county roads, yet I am sure such result would be obtained. Furthermore, an attempt to apportion among the counties of the state the state convicts would violently disagree with the policy of working the convicts upon the farms of the state, and would entail upon the respective counties the great expense in transporting said convicts to and from the state prison.

**Senators Ferguson and Billings** Governor Ferguson today signed the "farmers' friend bill," so-called, which further defines the word "improvement"

ments," in the homestead law, so as to permit farmers to borrow money on lands for grubbing, fencing and

**Other Bills Signed.** Among other bills signed today by the governor were: Requiring commissioners to publish notice of contracts; not allowing a person being indicted persons to procure a change of venue, enter plea of guilty and begin serving sentence when court is not in session; requiring county clerk, fixing uniform date on which county officials shall qualify; providing that punishment for arson shall be from ten to 20 years; duty of treasurer to report to county tax collectors; authorizing municipalities to use revenue from its public utility plant in payment of sinking fund; and

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